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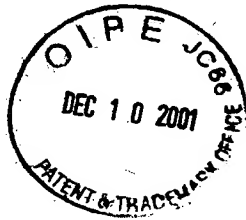
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In re Application of

Anderson et al.

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APPELLANTS' REPLY BRIEF

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Sir:

In response to an Examiner's Answer, dated October 10, 2001, received in response to a Second Resubmission of Appellants' Brief On Appeal filed August 30, 2001, please consider the following:

REMARKS

Appellants respectfully reply to the Examiner's Statement by noting that the Examiner has erred in the statement of the status of the claims. Specifically, the Examiner's assertion that "Claims 7 and 14 been (sic) canceled" is incorrect. Instead, Claims 7 and 15 have been canceled.

In view of the foregoing, Appellants submit that claims 1-6, 8-14, and 16-20, all the claims presently pending in the application, are clearly and patentably distinct from the prior art of record and in condition for allowance. Thus, the Board is respectfully requested to withdraw the rejection

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(the sole issue under Appeal) of claims 1-6, 8-14, and 16-20.

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